



PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket Number (Optional)  
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[37 CFR 1.8(a)]

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In re Application of: Xin WANG, et al.

Application Number : 09/749,895 Filed : December 29, 2000  
For : MULTI-STAGE WATERMARKING PROCESS AND  
SYSTEM

Group Art Unit : 2625

Examiner: Abolfazl Tabatabai

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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate entity fee are as follows  
(check time period desired):

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.  |           |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number <u>19-2380</u> .<br>I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. |           |

I am the  applicant/inventor

- assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.  
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).
- attorney or agent of record.
- attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).  
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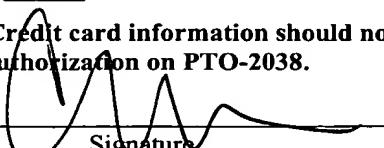
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